FISCAL NOTE

SB 3009 - HB 3276

March 17, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL:

- Requires that a \$10.00 fee be added to the cost of each permit issued by the Department of Environment and Conservation to persons proposing to construct, alter, extend or repair subsurface sewage disposal systems or to engage in the business of removing accumulated wastes from such systems.
- Provides that funds realized from the increase are to be used to establish a research and development fund administered by the Commissioner of Environment and Conservation.
- Authorizes the fund to be used to evaluate and develop new systems and technologies for groundwater programs.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - \$260,000 Groundwater Research and Development Fund

Increase State Expenditures - \$260,000/Groundwater Research and Development Fund

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director